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FOREIGN.

CHINA.

Examination of Rats—Shanghai.

During the week ended June 17, 1916, 333 rats were examined at Shanghai. No plague infection was found.

The finding of the last plague-infected rat at Shanghai was reported for the week ended May 6, 1916.

CUBA.

Measures against Importation of Poliomyelitis.

Under date of July 8, 1916, measures to prevent the importation of poliomyelitis were ordered to be enforced at Cuban ports as follows:

All children under 7 years of age coming from the United States, on arrival at ports in Cuba, shall be carefully inspected, and in case of showing elevation of temperature or any symptom indicating an abnormal condition shall be removed to hospital or isolated on board, immediate notice of the facts being given to the quarantine service. Children who appear to be perfectly well are admitted freely, care being taken to learn their destination and to give notice to the respective local health authorities.

On July 24, 1916, the first requirement was amended as follows: "All children less than 12 years."

GREAT BRITAIN.

Examination of Rats—Liverpool.

During the two weeks ended July 1, 1916, 513 rats were examined at Liverpool. No plague infection was found.

MEXICO.

Measures Against Importation of Poliomyelitis.

According to information dated July 28, 1916, 10 days' quarantine has been ordered to be enforced at all Mexican ports against vessels arriving from New York, on account of poliomyelitis.

PERSIA.

Cholera—Mohammerah.

Cholera was reported present, June 12, 1916, at Mohammerah, on the frontier of Persia and Asiatic Turkey.

CHOLERA, PLAGUE, SMALLPOX, TYPHUS FEVER, AND YELLOW FEVER.

Reports Received During Week Ended Aug. 4, 1916.[1]

CHOLERA.

Place.	Date.	Cases.	Deaths.	Remarks.
India:				
Bombay	June 4-17	13	6	
Calcutta	May 27-June 3		43	
Henzada	do		1	
Indo-China:				
Saigon	May 29-June 11	52	14	
Java				East Java, May 6-19, 1916: Cases, 5; deaths, 2.
				West Java, May 18-24, 1916: Cases, 13; deaths, 11.
Batavia	May 18-24		11	
Surabaya residency	May 6-19	5	2	Including Malang, 2 cases, and Sidoardjo and Malang, 3 cases with 2 deaths.
Persia:				
Asterabad	June 10			Present, with 4 or 5 deaths daily.
Ghazian	June 13	2	1	
Mohammerah	June 12			Present.
Philippine Islands:				
Provinces	June 11-17	28	22	
Straits Settlements:				
Singapore	May 27-June 3	1	1	

PLAGUE.

China:				
Hongkong	May 28-June 17	6	6	
Egypt				Jan. 1-June 29, 1916: Cases, 1,634; deaths, 792.
Alexandria	June 16-28	9	4	
Port Said	June 18-28	5	2	
Provinces—				
Assiout	June 29	1	1	
Beni-Souef	June 16-25	7	4	
Fayoum	June 17-28	16	6	
Girgeh	June 21	1	1	
Menouefieh	June 16-29	7	3	
Minieh	June 17-29	8	3	
India				May 28-June 3, 1916: [2] Cases, 445; deaths, 353.
Bassein	May 21-June 3		43	
Bombay	June 4-17	39	31	
Calcutta	May 28-June 3		4	
Karachi	May 29-June 17	23	20	
Madras Presidency	June 4-17	28	22	
Rangoon	May 28-June 3	33	33	Apr. 16-22, 1916: Cases, 54; deaths, 52.
Indo-China:				
Saigon	May 22-June 11	31	16	
Java:				
Residencies—				
Kediri	May 6-19	8	8	
Pasoeroean	do	1	1	
Surabaya	do	5	5	Surabaya City, May 13-19: Cases 3; deaths, 3.
Surakarta	do		9	

[1] From medical officers of the Public Health Service, American consuls, and other sources.
[2] Reports for weeks ended May 20 and 27, 1916, not received.

CHOLERA, PLAGUE, SMALLPOX, TYPHUS FEVER, AND YELLOW FEVER—Continued.

Reports Received During Week Ended Aug. 4, 1916—Continued.

SMALLPOX.

Place.	Date.	Cases.	Deaths.	Remarks.
Brazil:				
Rio de Janeiro	May 14-June 17	52	10	
China:				
Antung	June 12-18		1	
Chungking	May 21-June 10			Present.
Harbin	May 9-14		1	
Hongkong	May 27-June 17	21	16	
Nanking	June 11-17			Do.
Tientsin	May 21-June 17	17	6	
Egypt:				
Alexandria	June 11-17	1	1	
France:				
Paris	May 27-June 3	1		
Greece:				
Athens	Apr. 1-June 13	178	37	
India:				
Bombay	June 4-10	33	23	
Calcutta	May 27-June 3		1	
Madras	June 4-17	25	14	
Japan:				
Kobe	June 12-25	3	1	
Nagasaki	June 26-July 2	1	1	
Java				East Java, May 6-19, 1916: Cases, 6; deaths, 1.
Batavia	May 18-24		1	
Blora and Malang	May 13-19	4	1	
Kraksan and Soemenap	May 6-12	2		Mid-Java, May 6-12, 1916: Cases, 15; deaths, 8.
Surabaya	May 6-19	2	1	West Java, May 18-24, 1916: Cases, 18; deaths, 4.
Mexico:				
Aguascalientes	June 26-July 16		20	
Porto Rico:				
Cataño	July 17-30	2		
San Juan	do	2		
Portugal:				
Lisbon	June 25-July 1	5		
Russia:				
Moscow	May 28-June 16	76	20	
Petrograd	May 21-27	12	6	
Spain:				
Valencia	June 25-July 1	2	1	
Straits Settlements:				
Penang	May 14-20	3		
Singapore	May 21-27	2	2	
Switzerland:				
Basel	June 4-17	11		

TYPHUS FEVER.

Canada:				
New Brunswick—				
St. John	July 29	4		
China:				
Antung	June 19-25	1		
Egypt:				
Alexandria	June 10-17	58	14	
Germany:				
Bremen	June 18-24	1		
Hanover	May 14-20	2		
Greece:				
Saloniki	May 29-June 11		12	
Java				May 6-24, 1916: Cases, 20; deaths, 5.
Surabaya	May 6-12	2	2	
Mexico:				
Aguascalientes	June 26-July 16		25	
Russia:				
Moscow	May 28-June 17	329	23	
Petrograd	May 21-27	5	3	
Turkey in Asia:				
Mersina	Apr. 2-8	3		

CHOLERA, PLAGUE, SMALLPOX, TYPHUS FEVER, AND YELLOW FEVER—Continued.

Reports Received from July 1 to 28, 1916.

CHOLERA.

Place.	Date.	Cases.	Deaths.	Remarks.
Austria-Hungary				Mar. 12–May 6, 1916: Cases, 425; deaths, 155.
Austria	Mar. 26–Apr. 8	2		
Bosnia-Herzegovina	Mar. 12–Apr. 29	397	147	
Hungary	Mar. 20–Apr. 2	2		
Ceylon:				
Colombo	May 7–20	43	5	From s. s. Hong-Kheng from Haifong. Total to June 1: Cases, 61; deaths, 37.
Egypt:				
Suez	May 18–20	5	2	
Tor, quarantine station	May 22–June 3	112	42	
India:				
Bassein	Apr. 23–29		1	
Bombay	May 14–June 3	6	3	
Calcutta	May 7–28		92	
Henzada	Apr. 23–May 20		4	
Rangoon	May 21–27	1	1	
Indo-China				Dec. 1–31, 1915: Cases, 510; deaths, 395. Jan. 1–Feb. 29, 1916: Cases 1,332; deaths, 762.
Provinces—				
Anam	Dec. 1–31	493	388	
Do	Jan. 1–Feb. 29	1,295	738	
Cambodia	do	11	10	
Cochin China	do	6	1	
Tonkin	Dec. 1–31	17	7	
Do	Jan. 1–Feb. 29	20	13	
Saigon	May 1–21	39	3	
Java				East Java, Apr. 8–14, 1916: Cases, 2; deaths, 2. West Java, Apr. 13–26, 1916: Cases, 45; deaths, 40.
Batavia	Apr. 13–May 4	35	65	
Malang	Apr. 8–14	2	2	
Malang and Djombang	Apr. 28–May 5	2	2	
Persia:				
Foumen	May 9	3	2	Previously erroneously included in cases at Recht.
Philippine Islands:				
Manila	May 14–June 3	20	13	Not previously reported: Cases, 3; deaths, 1.
Provinces				May 1–27, 1916: Cases, 12; deaths, 10.
Laguna	May 21–June 10	14	7	
Lanac	May 28–June 3	110	88	
Mindoro	May 21–27	7	7	
Rizal	May 21–June 10	6	5	
Siam:				
Bangkok	May 15–27	4	4	
Turkey:				
Constantinople	June 14			Present among soldiers.
Smyrna	To June 14			Epidemic. Estimated number cases daily, 50.
At sea:				
Steamship Hong-Kheng	Apr. 27–May 9	17	14	En route from Haifong, Indo-China, to Colombo.
Steamship Pei-ho	Apr. 19–30	1	1	From Saigon, Indo-China, for Marseille.
Do	May 5–17	8	8	From Colombo for Suez.

PLAGUE.

Ceylon:				
Colombo	Apr. 30–May 6	3	3	
Chile:				
Mejillones	May 28–June 3	1		
Antofagasta	June 4–10	1		
Egypt				Jan. 1–June 8, 1916: Cases, 1,520; deaths, 747.
Alexandria	May 26–June 14	18	13	
Port Said	May 28–June 9	3	3	
Provinces—				
Assiout	May 27–June 8	8	7	
Beni-Souef	May 26–June 14	27	11	
Fayoum	May 26–June 13	95	39	
Galioubeh	June 7	1		
Girgeh	June 9	2		
Menoufieh	June 12	1	1	
Minieh	May 29–June 15	27	10	

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PLAGUE—Continued.

Place.	Date.	Cases.	Deaths.	Remarks.
Ecuador:				
Ambato	May 1-31			Epidemic.
Bahia	do			Country district, vicinity of Bahia.
Guayaquil	do	3	2	
Manta	do			Country district, vicinity of Manta.
India				May 7-13, 1916: Cases, 1,502; deaths, 1,138.
Bassein	Apr. 23-May 20		105	
Bombay	May 14-June 3	204	185	
Calcutta	May 7-27		5	
Henzada	Apr. 23-May 20		6	
Karachi	May 14-27	47	41	
Madras Presidency	May 14-June 3	64	43	
Mandalay	do		1	
Moulmein	Apr. 23-May 20		28	
Prome	do		1	
Rangoon	Apr. 23-May 27	157	146	
Indo-China				Dec. 1-31, 1915: Cases, 90; deaths, 70. Jan. 1-Feb. 29, 1916: Cases, 205; deaths, 153.
Provinces—				
Anam	Dec. 1-31	36	20	
Do	Jan. 1-Feb. 29	79	62	
Cambodia	Dec. 1-31	27	36	
Do	Jan. 1-Feb. 29	77	71	
Cochin China	Dec. 1-31	4	1	
Do	Jan. 1-Feb. 29	49	20	
Tonkin	Dec. 1-31	23	23	
Saigon	May 15-21	8	4	
Java				East Java, Apr. 9-15, 1916: Cases, 33; deaths, 32.
Residences—				
Kediri	Apr. 9-May 5	10	10	
Pasoeroe n	do	6	5	
Surabaya	do	18	16	Including Surabaya city and district.
Surakarta	do	15	15	
Mauritius	Apr. 15	5	8	
Persia:				
Recht	May 2-19	20	14	
Siam:				
Bangkok	Apr. 30-May 30	32	28	
Straits Settlements:				
Singapore	Apr. 30-May 20	3	1	
Union of South Africa:				
Orange Free State	Jan. 23-Mar. 26	36	23	Remaining under treatment Mar. 26, 6 cases.

SMALLPOX.

Australia:				
New South Wales—				
Narrabri	May 26-June 7	8		
Austria-Hungary:				
Austria				Feb. 13-19, 1916: Cases, 1,536.
Vienna	May 27-June 10	3	1	
Hungary:				
Budapest	May 21-June 17	30	14	
Brazil:				
Rio de Janeiro	Apr. 9-May 13	42	8	
Santos	May 8-14		1	
Canada:				
Ontario—				
Fort William and Port Arthur	July 9-15	1		
Niagara Falls	July 2-8	1		
Toronto	June 25-July 1	2		
Ceylon:				
Colombo	May 7-20	2		
China:				
Antung	May 22-28	2		
Dairen	May 21-27	1		
Chungking	May 7-13			Present.
Foochow	May 7-27			Do.
Harbin	May 2-8	2		
Hongkong	May 7-27	41	29	
Tientsin	May 14-20	23	4	

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Reports Received from July 1 to 28, 1916—Continued.

SMALLPOX—Continued.

Place.	Date.	Cases.	Deaths.	Remarks.
East Africa:				
Mombasa	Apr. 24-30	3	1	
Egypt:				
Alexandria	May 28-June 10	3	1	
Cairo	Jan. 22-Feb. 11	6	1	
France:				
Paris	May 14-27	5		
Germany:				
Breslau	May 21-27	1		
Hamburg	June 11-17	1		
Great Britain:				
Cardiff	June 4-17	1	1	
London	do	1		
India:				
Bassein	May 7-13		2	
Bombay	May 14-27	96	39	
Calcutta	May 7-27		2	
Madras	May 14-June 3	66	19	
Rangoon	Apr. 23-May 27	128	39	
Indo-China				Dec. 1-31, 1915: Cases, 74; deaths, 14. Jan. 1-Feb. 29, 1916: Cases, 134; deaths, 16.
Provinces—				
Anam	Dec. 1-31	48		
Do	Jan. 1-Feb. 29	24		
Cambodia	Dec. 1-31	19	13	
Do	Jan. 1-Feb. 29	37	14	
Cochin China	Dec. 1-31	1	1	
Do	Feb. 1-29	10		
Tonkin	Dec. 1-31	6		
Do	Jan. 1-Feb. 29	63	2	
Japan:				
Kobe	May 29-June 11	21	3	
Java				East Java, Apr. 8-14: Cases, 7 deaths, 7. Mid-Java, Apr. 1-May 5, 1916: Cases, 128; deaths, 10. West Java, Apr. 13-May 17, 1916: Cases, 91; deaths, 23.
Batavia	Apr. 13-May 17	7	4	
Sittoebondo	Apr. 8-14	1	1	
Toeban and Bosjonegoro	do	6	6	
Mexico:				
Aguascalientes	June 12-25		21	
Frontera	May 28-June 10	4	1	
Guadalajara	June 11-17	35	9	
Mazatlan	May 31-June 6		4	
Tenosique	June 14			175 miles south of Frontera. Epidemic among troops.
Vera Cruz	June 4-July 9	5	10	
Netherlands:				
Amsterdam	May 28-June 3	1		
Philippine Islands:				
Manila	do	1		
Porto Rico				June 19-25, 1916: Cases, 33.
Aguas Buenas	June 19-25	5		
Arecibo	do	2		
Bayamon	June 19-July 2	2		
Naranjito	June 26-July 2	4		
Rio Piedras	do	1		
San Juan	do	24		
Toa Alta	do	12		
Portugal:				
Lisbon	May 21-June 24	10		
Russia:				
Moscow	Apr. 30-May 20	132	32	
Riga	Apr. 6-12	1		
Petrograd	Apr. 23-May 19	113	21	
Siam:				
Bangkok	May 24-30	2		
Spain:				
Madrid	May 1-31		13	
Valencia	May 21-June 3	10	3	
Straits Settlements:				
Singapore	Apr. 30-May 6	2	1	
Switzerland:				
Basel	May 13-June 3	14		
At sea:				
Steamship Katuna				Case of smallpox landed at Colombo, Ceylon, May 12, 1916. Vessel arrived May 27 at Fremantle, Australia, was ordered into quarantine and proceeded to Melbourne direct for disinfection.

CHOLERA, PLAGUE, SMALLPOX, TYPHUS FEVER, AND YELLOW FEVER—Continued.

Reports Received from July 1 to 28, 1916—Continued.

TYPHUS FEVER.

Place.	Date.	Cases.	Deaths.	Remarks.
Austria-Hungary:				
Austria				Feb. 13-26, 1916: Cases, 845.
Hungary				Feb. 21-Mar. 5, 1916: Cases, 35; deaths, 7.
Budapest	May 21-June 17	13	2	
China:				
Harbin	May 2-8	1		
Tientsin	May 14-20		1	
Egypt:				
Alexandria	May 21-June 10	139	69	
Cairo	Jan. 8-Feb. 11	41	21	
Germany:				
Chemnitz	May 28-June 3		1	
Frankfort-on-Main	June 11-17		1	
Hanover	May 7-13	2		
Königsberg	June 4-10	1		
Leipzig	do		1	
Greece:				
Saloniki	May 1-14		6	
Japan:				
Tokyo	May 22-June 8	65		Jan. 1-June 8, 1916: Cases, 417.
Java				East Java, Apr. 8-May 5, 1916: Cases, 4; deaths, 4. Mid-Java, Apr. 1-28, 1916; Cases, 30; deaths, 6. West Java, Apr. 13-May 17, 1916: Cases, 53; deaths, 13.
Batavia	Apr. 13-May 17	32	10	
Samarang	Apr. 1-28	8	4	
Surabaya	Apr. 8-May 5	4	4	
Mexico:				
Aguascalientes	June 12-25		26	
Guadalajara	June 11-17	4	1	
Vera Cruz	June 4-9		2	
Russia:				
Moscow	Apr. 30-May 20	538	24	
Petrograd	Apr. 23-May 6	11	2	
Switzerland:				
Geneva	May 21-27	1		
Turkey in Asia:				
Adana	May 13			Present.
Haifa	Apr. 24-30	5	1	
Jaffa	Apr. 23-29			Mar. 19-25, 1916: Present.
Mersina	May 7-13	5		
Tarsus	May 13			Present.

YELLOW FEVER.

Ecuador:				
Guayaquil	May 1-31	21	17	
Mexico:				
Merida	July 19	3		